

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Takashi AZUMA et al.
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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 23, 2008, the period of response for which extension of time is requested in the attached Petition for Extension of Time, reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following:

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2;

Remarks begin on page 7; and

Authorization is included on page 15.